## SPECIAL NOTICES.

MASONIC HALL ASSOCIATION OF DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Notice is hereby given that the bonds issued by the Masonic Hall Association of the District of Columbia, dated August 1, 1878, became due and payable on the 1st day of August, 1888. All of said bonds, except No. 127, which was for \$100, and No. 405, which was for \$50, have been presented to the Association and canceled by payment of amount due on same. On said 1st day of August, 1888, interest on said bonds ceased, and unless said above-mentioned bonds. Nos. 127 and 405, are presented to the Association for payment on or before the 15th day of June, 1889, the Association will apply to the trustees named in the deed of trust under which the payment of said bonds was secured for a release of said deed of trust.

By order of the Directors of Masonic Hall Association by C. NOBLE D. LARNER, my13-eo4w

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Washington News and Gossip. Index to Advertisements.

A MEETING OF THE REC PTION committee of Georgetown Law School will be held at 6:15 p.m., SATURDAY, June 8, the Law Sch of Building. All members are urgently requested to be present. L. D. PACE, Chairman. GEO. B. WILSON, REAL ESTATE
Broker, formerly of 1418 F st., is now
located at 1221 F st. ATTORNEYS FEW WORDS TO MEN.

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 CITY ITEMS EDUCATIONAL Page 7 he was very well satisfied with the outlook EXCURSIONS. Page 8 before him. He and his friends are quite confident that he will hold the gavel in the next I WISH TO ANNOUNCE THAT I HAVE bought the interest in the undertaking business of P. D. Vinson, at 44 Massachusetts avenue northwest, I desire the patronage of my friends and the public. [je7-2t\*] THOS. F. CANNON. FINANCIAL Page 7

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Repre THE EXTENSIVE SHIRT BUSINESS of the late J. W. Amer has been purchased by P. T. Hail, who will containe the same at old stand, 521 10th st. n.w., till Jury I, after that at 90s Fst. n. w., where former patrons will be cordially welcomed FOR SALE (Houses)......Page 3 GENTLEMEN'S GOODS......Page 7 and orders faithfully executed.
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my7-3m 434 7th st. n.w. LOST AND FOUND......Page 3 MARRIAGES......Page 5 MEDICAL Page 7
MISCELLANEOUS Page 5 THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF THE C.TIZENS' ASSOCIATION, of Georgetown, at Association Hall, on FRIDAY EVENING, he 7th inst. Business of much importance concerning the future weitnare of the town will be discussed.

ARCHIBALD GLEENLEES, Pre-ident, je6-2t WM. H. MONOGLE, Secretary. MONEY TO LOAN. Page 8
NOTARIES PUBLIC Page 6 WM. H. MONOG. E. SECRETARY.

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WOOD AND COAL ...... Page 7 GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS. -Internal revenue, \$1,054,743; customs, \$888.181.

Louisiana ave., is always supplied with a full stock, where dealers are invited. Our wagons do not retail butter, but the principal dealers all sell our goods. MILITARY CADETS .- Edwin Bell, tenth district, New York city; Wm. Tucker, third dis-FOR GENUINE FREE-HAND CRAYON
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studio in Washington. trict, Chicago; E. W. Clark, Stoom Lake, eleventh district, Iowa; J. W. Tampton, Hull, eleventh district, Iowa; R. R. Shinley, second district, Chicago, have been appointed cadets at the West Point military academy.

THE APPRENTICES' CRUISE.-The training-Open until 8 p.m.

OFFICE OF GEO. A. SHcHAN, 15TH

AND B STS., N.W.,

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3, 1889.

I have this day sold to RICHARD H. WILLET my
entire lumber business, including stock of lumber,
office fixtures, horses, mules, wagons, &c., reserving
my presen office on the premises, where I shall always
be pleased to see my friends and patrons. Thanking
my customers and the public for the liberal patronsge
bestowed in the past, I heartily recommend Mr. Willet
as being in every way well qualified and worthy the
same confidence.

GEO. A. SHEHAN. ship Jamestown, with the naval apprentices on board, has sailed from Newport on her summer cruise. She will cross the Atlantic and visit ports in Spain, Portugal, and other countries in Southern Europe.

department has directed a test of the pneu- was one of the most satisfactory of the valuable matic gun carriage, manufactured by the Pneumatic gun carriage company, to be made at

A GENERAL NAVAL COURT-MARTIAL has been ordered to convene at the Washington navy-Sterling, Lieut, Commander Rhodes, Lieuts. Adams, Kiburn and Rogers, Capt. Mannix and Lieut. Moses, marine corps, and Passed Assist-ant Paymaster Sullivan as judge-advocate.

A WASHINGTON CLERGYMAN HONORED .- Pennsylvania college yesterday conferred the title of Doctor of Divinity upon Rev. W. E. Parson,

COMMENDED FOR FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF DUTY. - Secretary Tracy, before he left for Annapolis, wrote a letter to Mr. J. H. Lawrence, quartermaster in the ordnance shops at the Washington navy-yard, commending him for his personal exertions which resulted in the saving of much of the property in the quadrangle shop from damage or complete destruction from the high water on the night of Saturday. The Secretary says: "Such faithful performance of duty is extremely gratifying, and the department desires to express its com-

mendation of the services rendered." NAVAL ORDERS.-Lieut. James D. J. Kelley detached from the Pensacola and ordered to the Kearsarge. Lieut. Henry T. Mayo, detached from the command of the coast survey schooner Mayo and placed on waiting orders. Assistant-Surgeon P. H. Bryant, detached from the naval hospital at Chelsea, Mass., and granted leave until July 1.

THE NATIONAL SAFE DEPOSIT Company, 15th st. and New York avenue, receives silverware and all kinds of valuables on deposit. Saics of all sizes for rent. Vanits fire-proof, tunglar-proof, damp-proof, insale of their new building, with walls 3 feet 6 inches thick. Construction fire-proof throughout. Equipment unsurpassed as a safe Deposit Company.

Apartments provided exclusively for ladies.
Inspection invited. CIVIL SERVICE IRREGULARITIES .- Hugh A. Thompson and Theodore Roosevelt, of the civil service commission, were in Troy yesterday looking into the methods employed by the local board in carrying on examinations. They decided to annul the recent examination for postoffice employes because of irregularities. To-day they will examine the work of the Albany board and appoint an additional commissioner.

SECRETARY PROCTOR received a telegram this morning from his home, in Vermont, stating that his young son is losing strength and is sinking. The Secretary made rapid arrange-ments for leaving and barely had time to catch the 11 o'clock train bound north. Gen. Schofield was at once commissioned to act as Secretary of War during the absence of Secre-

A PENSION DECISION.—Assistant Secretary Bussey has rendered an adverse decision in the pension case of John Yant, late of company F; jury was received Yant, in company with five or six comrades, after being relieved from picket duty, took "French leave" and went to a house about a half mile away to get "a square meal;" that claimant was climbing over a fence when his gun was discharged, inflicting a wound in his right hand.

THIRD CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION OF WASHINGTON, D. C.—
The Third Co-operative Building Association of Washington, D. C., issues its fourth series of stock on the FIRST MONDAY IN JUNE, 1889. Shares, \$2 per month, on which \$1,000 is advanced to purchasers. Interest 5 per cent per annum on withdrawals. Subscriptions to stock can be made at the following maned places: A. DEFPLE, Fres., \$20.4% st. s.w.; J. T. PETTL, irreasurer; A. ARCH. R. Corner 4% and I sts. s.w.; W. T. WALKER, 1411 G st. n.w.; R. A. WALKER, 1600 7th st. n.w.; E. J. BURTT, 410 7th st. s. w.; CHURCH & \$1 EP. ENSON, 8th and Maryland ave. s.w.; J. H. JOHNSON, 7th and Maryland ave.; br. R. H. GUNNELL, 625 Pa. ave.; THOMPSON & CU., 10th and Louislana ave. n.w.; CAMMACK & DECKER, 28th and K sts. n.w.; O. T. THOMPSON, 631 Pa. ave. n.w. ARMY ORDERS.-The following changes in the stations and duties of the quartermaster's department have been ordered: Capt. J. M. Marshall, relieved from duty at Fort Leavenworth, and ordered to duty as assistant to the officer in charge of the quartermaster's depot at St. Louis, relieving Capt. F. H. Hathaway, who is ordered to duty as assistant to the chief quartermaster of the department of the Missouri, and also to take charge of the MR. GEROME DESIG HAS REMOVED his Jewelry Rooms to the ground floor of his oid stand-1223 Penn, ave.—where for 50 days goods will be sold at a discount of 20 per cent. my16-1m new building to be erected at Fort Leavenworth. The army retiring board at Governor's Island. New York. is dissolved, and the following new board ordered: Col. Chas. Sutherland, surgeon; GARDEN HOSE, HOSE-REEL, HOSE Fixtures, for garden and street use, for large buildings and fire department; best goods; all sizes; lowest prices. GOODYLAR RUBBER CO., 309 9th st. Lawn Tennis, Yachting, and Beyele Shoes. Leather and Rubber Beiting. Full stock. Best grades. Col. Chas. H. Tompkins, assistant quarter-master-general; Col. W. W. Burns, assistant commissary-general; Lieut. Col. Alfred Mordecai, ordnance department, and Lieut. Col. GAS FIXTURES,

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PERSONAL.-C. J. Bound of Newark, N. J., J. B. Montgomery of Portland, Me., Geo. B. Anderson and L. H. Lever of Pittsburg, M. S. S. Solteman of Charlotte, N. C., and S. H. Reynolds of Lancaster, Pa., are at Willard's.— Benj. Howe and Dr. Geo. W. McDowell of New York, W. F. Seymour of Richmond, Va., Jas. York, W. F. Seymour of Richmond, Va., Jas. F. Tole of Newburgh. New York, T. H. Schroeder of Boston, and Wm. A. Draddy, W. P. Walker, jr., and G. G. Murray of Cincinnati, are at the Arlington.—E. Clinch of New York, Jas. A. Liech of Kentucky, H. Ewing of Tennessee, J. McNary of Indiana, E. B. Smith of Massachusetts, H. C. Stanford of Ohio, Lewis Stanford of Philadelphia, R. C. Bland of West Virginia and Messachusetts, H. C. Stanford of Ohio, Lewis Stanford of Ohio Heyi of Philadelphia, B. C. Bland of West Vir-gmia, and R. E. Young of North Carolina, are cumbered obtained from Mrs. Anna C. Meir at the Ebbitt.—J. McDonald, Jas. Davies, and G. Hammell of New York, J. A. Cote of The defendant denied that there was any in-England. J. A. Holmes of Massachusetts, J. A. tention on his part to defraud, and asserted Bell and Wm. Hunt of Boston are at the Riggs. that it was sickness which embarrassed him Bell and Wm. Hunt of Boston are at the Riggs.

—C. J. Cook of Philadelphia, P. Landen and Mrs. C. A. Brown of New York are at the Arno. —R. Brown of West Virginia and C. King of New York are at Wormley's.—C. D. Spell-house of Massachusetts and John Harris of New Toth and D streets (Fost Building).

FOR BRIGHT, QUICK FIRE AND CHEAP, CLEAN FUEL buy washington Gas Light Company's Coke.

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REMOVAL.—I DESIRE TO ANNOUNCE to my friends and the public that I have removed my office to the Flending building, 1419 G st.

J. R. HERTFORD,

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House of Massachusetts and John Harris of New York are at Welcker's.—Mrs. W. C. Pollock and son of Philadelphia, S. M. Hopping of Texas, and C. W. Moberly of New York are at the Hotel Johnson.—W. B. Montgomery of Greenfield, Ind., E. B. Shoemaker of Amber, Pa., C. W. Turner of Louisville, Ky., and W. M. Wheeler of Milwaukee, Wis., are at the St. J. R. HERTFORD, James.

200, as follows: Coupon 4½s, \$1,000 at 106%; \$3,200 at 106%, \$200,000 at 106%, \$2,000 at 106%, \$9,000 at 106%, \$9,000 at 106%, \$9,000 at 106%, \$106%,

BUT FEW CALLERS TO-DAY. The President has a Comparatively Quiet Time.

Four members of Congress, one ex-diplomate. ATTORNEYS. Page 6 and seven ordinary, untitled individuals summed up the President's callers to-day. His reception hour was a time of comparative rest. Ex-Minister McLane called to pay his respects to the President. Representative Burrows was on the same polite mission. He is in Washington for but a few days. The speakership canvass is occupying his attention. He told a STAR reporter that fident that he will hold the gavel in the next | Gen. Hastings' Hopeful View of

> Representative Burton had something to say about appointments in Ohio.
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> Representative Brower and Sergeant-at-Arms Canaday saw the President for a few minutes. Representative Farquhar was accompanied by a rotund constituent. The surveyorship of the port of New York and the commissioner-

> ship of navigation, in both of which Mr. Far-quhar is interested, are still unsettled. The other callers were: George A. Floding, of Huntington, W.Va.; John B. McClellan, of Alabama; Benjamin F. Flanders, Charles D Walcott, J. Thomas, of Indianapolis, L. E. Dudley, A. N. Russell. of New York.

ELEVENTH CENSUS. Appointments of Experts and Specialists

by Superintendent Porter. Superintendent of Census Porter has decided upon the following experts and special-

ists to aid him in the preparation of the eleventh census: S. N. D. North, of Boston, secretary of the national association of wool manufacturers, to

have charge of the statistics of the wool and periodical press throughout the United States. Mr. North gained a national reputation through his work on the tenth census. He was formerly editor of the Albany Express. Henry T. Cook, of Trenton, N. J., to have charge of the statistics of the clay and pot-tery industries of the United States. Mr. Cook

has had a wide experience as a manufacturing potter, is a graduate of Frinceton college, and recommended by the leading potters of the country as a man well qualified to undertake the important investigation committed to him. John S. Billings, of the United States army, is to have charge of the mortality and vital statistics. Dr. Billings is probably the best au-thority on these and kindred subjects in the United States. He conducted this inquiry for

him are regarded as among the most valuable reports of the census of 1830. Henry Bowers, of Philadelphia, secretary of the chemical association of the United States, in charge of the statistics of the chemical and THE PNEUMATIC GUN CARRIAGE.—The Navy allied industries. Mr. Dowels and his report this work for the tenth census, and his report series of reports on special industries. Henry Gannett, of the geological survey

the tenth census, and the volumes compiled by

the naval ordnance proving grounds, Annapo- will have charge of the geographical departlis, on the 10th instant, in the presence of a board, composed of Capt. Howell, Lieut, Commander Kennedy and Lieuts. Schroeder and the tenth census, and is believed to be the best equipped man for the place in the country. Frederick W. Kruse, of Olean, Cattaraugus

county, New York, for five years member of the New York legislative assembly and member yard on the 10th instant for the trial of enlisted men. The detail of the court is: Commander Sterling, Lieut, Commander Rhodes, Lieut, is a man of ability and statistical training, and a lawyer by profession. William C. Hunt, of the bureau of statistics. of Massachusetts, expert and special agent in charge of the social statistics. Mr. Hunt has

won a state reputation in Massachusetts in the compilation of the Massachusetts census of J. K. Upton, of New Hampshire, formerly as-

sistant secretary of the treasury, in charge of the statistics of state finance and indebtedness. Mr. Upton performed efficient work for the census office in 1830.

Interior Department Changes. The following official changes have been made in the department of the Interior: Office of the secretary-Promotion: Cyrus Root, of New York, clerk, \$1,200 to \$1,400. Office of Indian affairs-Transfer: Wm. A.

Megrath, of Georgia, clerk, to patent office as fourth assistant examiner at \$1,200. Census office—Appointments: Wm. C. Hunt. of Massachusetts, expert and special agent on social statistics, \$6 per day; Harry Tiffany, of New York, clerk, \$1,200.

Geological survey-Appointment: Henry C. Rizer, of Kansas, disbursing agent, \$2,200. Promotion: Samuel H. Bodfish, of District of Columbia, topographer, \$2,000, to engineer,

General Land Office-Appointment: James M. Hutchins, of Minnesota, special agent, \$1,500. Promotions: Henry G. Potter, of Ohio, clerk, \$1,600, to chief of mineral division, \$1.800; Francis W. Clements, of District of Columbia, and Calvin S. Brown, of Kansas, clerks. \$1.600 to \$1,800. Patent Office-Appointment: Arthur D. Kinne,

of New York, clerk \$1,200 by transfer. Pension office—Promotions: Alfred J. Wagaminer, \$2,000; Perley B. Dickerson, of Ohio, clerk. \$1,400 to assistant chief of division, \$1,800; William W. Bennett, of New York, clerk, \$1.200 to \$1,800; John Bresnahan, of Indiana, and Roswell C. Sneden, of New York, clerks, \$1,400 to \$1,600; Charles E. Mott, of Michigan, Charles R. Cleaves, of Maine, Wm. H. Black, of Ohio, and James K. Clark, Pennsylvania, clerks, \$1,200 to \$1,400; Miss Carrie Maher, of District of Columbia, Robert E. Mattingly, of District of Columbia, Miss Florence Caswell, of District of Columbia; John O'Connell, of Ver-Ninety-minth Ohio volunteers. The records in | trict of Columbia, and Mrs. Sarah B. Gunnithe case show that on the day on which the injury was received Yant, in company with five Harlan, of Maryland and Miss Mary M. Cooper, of Virginia, copyists, \$900 to clerks \$1.000. Resignation: John G. Taylor, of Colorado, clerk, \$1,400.

New Collectors of Internal Revenue. The President late yesterday afternoon appointed the following collectors of internal

revenue.

Albert B. White, of West Virginia, for the district of West Virginia. Jno. B. Eaves, of North Carolina, for the fifth district of North Carolina. Wm. A. Allen, of Tennessee, for the second district of Tennessee,
David A. Nunn, of Tennessee, for the fifth district of Tennessee.

Juo. Peters, of Nebraska, for the district of Nebraska. Assaulted by Women. William Lancaster, a colored man, whose face

s familiar in the Police Court as a prisoner. made his appearance in court to-day as a witness against two colored women-Bessie Coleman and Carrie Pinkney—whom he charged with assault. Lancaster's head was badly injured by a brick thrown by Carrie Pinkney. Carrie was given two months and Bessie was given thirty days.

A Charge of False Pretenses. In the Criminal Court, this morning, the and prevented him from making repayment by installment. To-Day's Bond Offerings aggregated \$246,-

200, as follows: Coupon 41/s, \$1,000 at 1061/s;

FEARS OF A PLAGUE

A New Terror Threatens the into the hundreds." Conemaugh Valley.

WHAT PHYSICIANS SAY.

the Situation.

A CITY WIPED OUT BY FIRE.

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A PLAGUE FEARED. Warm Weather Felt in the Conemaugh Valley.

PHYSICIANS BELIEVE THAT GREAT SICKNESS WILL PREVAIL-DIPHTHERIA AND TYPHOID FEVER MAKE THEIR APPEARANCE-EVERY SANITARY PRECAUTION BEING TAKEN THAT IS POSSIBLE

JOHNSTOWN, PA., June 7 .- "Are the horrors of the flood to give way to the terrors of the within the past day or two has gradually re- to the north of where the five began, was also worstead industries, and of the newspaper and | plague?" is the question that is now agitating the valley of the Conemaugh. To-day opened the valley of the Conemaugh. To-day opened Of course we have to proceed in warm and almost sultry, and the stench that a somewhat arbitrary but not unjustifiable assails one's senses as he wanders through Johnstown is almost overpowering. Sickness, in spite of the precautions and herculean labors hope, judicious. I have at all times endeavored of the sanitary authorities, is on the increase, to be discreet." and the fears of epidemic grow with every hour.

"It is our impression," said Dr. T. L. White, assistant to the state board of health, this morning, "that there is going to be great sickness ! lignant diphtheria were located this morning houses they mean five starting points for dis- a Christian-like manner." ease. All this talk about the dangers of epidemic is not exaggerated, as many suppose, but | bish, bodies and all?' is founded upon experience. There will be plenty of typhoid fever and kindred diseases there is a lack of vegetables. I have been here since Sunday and have not tasted fresh meat but once since that time. I am only one of the many. Of course the worst has passed for the physicians, as our arrangements are now perwill be relieved to-day, but the opinion is general among the medical men that there will be more need for doctors in a week hence than there is now."

EVERY PRECAUTION BEING TAKEN. Dr. R. L. Sibbel, of the state board of health, is in charge of sanitary headquarters. "We are using every precaution known to science." said he, "to prevent the possibility of epidemic. Our labors here have not been confined to any particular channel, but have been extended in various directions. Disinfectants, of course, are first in importance and they have been used with no sparing hand. The prompt cremation of dead animals as fast as discovered is another thing which we have insisted on. The immediate erection of water closets throughout the ruins for workmen was another work of the greatest sanitary importance and has been attended to. They, too, are being disinfected at frequent intervals. We have a committee, too, that su-perintends the burial of the victims at the cemeteries. It is of the utmost importance in this wholesale interment that the corpses should be interred a safe distance beneath the surface in order that their poisonous emanations may not find exit through the crevices of the earth. Another committee is making a house to house inspection throughout the stricken city to ascertain the number of inhabitants in each standing house; the number of the sick and to order the latter to hospitals whenever necessary. One great danger is the overcrowding of houses and hotels, and that is being pre-vented as much as possible by the free use of tents upon the mountain side. So far there is sons were found sick and there is no morgue in but little contagious disease, and we hope by diligent and systematic efforts to prevent any dangerous outbreak."

AS TO GOV. BEAVER'S VISIT. "So far as I know," said Adjt.-Gen. Hastings this morning, "Gov. Beaver is not to visit the scene of disaster at all. I know there were rumors that he would be here this morning, but they were, in my opinion, entirely unfounded. I would have received an official notification of his arrival, I think, and as yet such notification has not been received by me. The truth probably is that Gov. Beaver has visited some of the flood-stricken portions of Pennsylvania and the report got currency that he was going to Johnstown. It must be remembered that the floods have done inestimable damage in other portions of the state. The flood sufferers are not all in the Conemaugh valley. It is likely Gov. Beaver is on a visit of alleviation to some other portion of the state, although for aught I know he may vet be at Harrisburg."

GEN. HASTINGS ON THE SITUATION. "What is the situation this morning?"

"Very good so far as reported. Bodies are being gradually recovered all the time, but of course out in the large number of the first few days. Last night we arrested several ghouls that were wandering amid the wreck on evil intent during the darkness, and they were promptly taken to the guard-house. This morning they were given the choice of imprisonment or going to work at \$2 a day, and they promptly chose the latter.

We are getting along very well in our work, and very little tendency to lawlessness, I am happy to say, is observed." THE WAIF'S MISSION is doing a noble work in Johnstown. Miss H. W. Hinckley and her assistant, Miss Cornelia

Hancock, are the heroines of the hour. Within an hour after their arrival upon the scene of horrors they had established a bureau and were recsiving the children and wee babes, that had been or-phaned by the cruel flood and flames. Miss Hinckley talked cheerfully of her work this morning. "We have been very busy from the very first hour," she said, "and feel that we have been able to render good service. Within a few minutes we had received notification of perhaps a hundred orphan children, and, as the press was kind enough to send out an address, we were, within a few hours more, in receipt of offers from all a few hours more, in receipt of offers from all over the country to take charge of some of the little ones. In many cases the children reported to us have subsequently had their little hearts gladdened by the sudden apparition of a mother or father who, after all, was not lost in the flood, but had found friendly refuge on the river miles below. The scenes of these joyful meetings, after even hope had fied, are such as to almost lighten the heavy pall that hangs over this field of death with which we are surrounded.

Telegrams to The Star. I ke charge of certains numbers of the little ones. We received through the mayor of New York a message from Lenks & Watts' orphanage, in New York city, offering to receive some of the orphan children. Of course, we gladly accepted the offer. Indeed, we can respond to many more such offers. It is yet impossible to estimate how many children will gether and of various heights. They were of tinder and proved

THE LITTLE ONES HAPPY.

debris of their humble cottage.

A stroll through one of Miss Hinckley's little nurseries and found a score of little ones cruel blow that had been dealt them. In one the fire reached them, scattering the cinders They were Germans and both father and mother had through the inscrutable ways of Providence found a watery grave, while the nine little waifs had escaped in the floating

TO WHOM DRAFTS SHOULD TO SENT. Numerous telegrams have been received here from all portions of the United States half an hour aking to whom drafts for relief should be remitted. In many cases checks and drafts have been addressed to Mr. James B. Scott, the chosen dictator of the valley, and this was probably the most proper W. Lang & company's drug store, John Spenperson to whom to make se remittances.
"I wish you would now a ate to the country," said Col. Scott to-day, "that as things are be- the Palace restaurant, Gering & O'Connell's coming more and more settled every hour, I would recommend that all drafts clothing store, and Dobell's & Marion's ciothing store, and Dobell's & Marion's ciothing store. While this square was burning, the William R. Thempson, treasurer of the grievance committee, Pittsburg. That city Front street, between Madison and Marion,

"It is improving with every hour. The perinto a semblance of order and regulation, manner in many cases, and at times I have

while it might almost seem despetic, was, I

"Are many bodies being discovered now?" "Very few; that is to say comparatively few. Of course as the waters receded more and more between the banks we have come upon bodies here and there and they were exposed to between Columbia and Yesler streets, which sight. The probabilities are that there will be contained a fine row of brick buildings, two here within the next week. Five cases of ma- a great many bodies yet discovered under the rubbish that covers the streets, and our hope and expectation is that the vast majority of all on Bedford street, and as they were in different the dead may be recovered and disposed of in Washington Guarantee and Loan Association

"How about the movement to burn the rub-NO GENERAL BURNING. "I do not think that will be done-at least only here within a week or ten days in as a last extremity. While there is great my opinion. The only thing that has saved us anxiety in regard to the sanitary condition all thus far has been the cold weather. That has now given place to summer weather, and no one knows what the part faw days may bring one knows what the next few days may bring forth. Even among the workmen an attendants there is already discernable a great tendency to diarrhoea and dysentery. The men are living principally upon salt meat, and configration, because, in my opinion, there is water was giving out and the streams from necessity for it. Property that is of any value is extracted from these heaps of debris before the fire is applied, and it is certain that no house will be burned that is worth repairing. Naturally, in this scene of general devastation, we do not have all the consideration for minor fected, and each corps will be relieved from aster of less frightful character. Strict orders and that of Tacoma combined were unable to time to time. Twenty more physicians arrived have been issued this morning, let from Pittsburg this morning, and many of us me say, to arrest any person found will be relieved to-day but the opinion is genkind in the streets, not only in Johnstown

proper, but in the suburbs. We propose to continue this work of searching the wreck unscience, and then we may well recede.

I do not believe, however, that that time will ever come. THE GREATEST CONSIDERATION IS BEING GIVEN

to this matter of the recovery of the dead and treatment of the bodies after discovery. I think an impression has gone abroad that the dead are being handled here very much as one would handle cord wood, but this is a great mistake. As soon as possible after discovery they are borne from public gaze and taken to the morgue, where only persons who have lost relatives or friends are admitted. Of course the general exclusion is not applied to attendants, physicians and representatives of of buildings or quarters are the Commercial the press, but it is righteously applied Mill company, the Mechanics' Mill company, sightseers in Johnstown now. It is earnest workers and laborers we want, and of these we can hardly have too many." GOV. BEAVER ARRIVES.

Governor Beaver arrived here about 4 o'clock this morning on the train bearing the regiment from Philadelphia. His coming was kept a profound secret. The object of his visit is to confer with Adjutant-General Hastings and others as to the disposision of the relief funds. MORE DISINFECTANTS NEEDED. The sanitary condition of Kernville is bad

and more disinfectants are needed. Four perthe town. Rev. Mr. Read says there are still 1,000 bodies in the ruins at Kernville.
Zill Gruber, of Kernville. on Friday morning last had jet-black hair, moustache and beard.

with white. Gruber attributes the change to his awful Friday night's experience. MILTON'S MUD AND SLIME.

On Saturday morning his hair and beard began to turn gray, and the hair now is well streaked

The Citizens Struggling to Repair Their Damaged Homes.

MILTON, Pa., June 7 .- Citizens of Milton are

now struggling with the mud, slime and debris

left by the flood, and doing what they can to repair their damaged homes and premises. A board of relief and sanitation has been appointed, consisting of T. B. Gould, Wm. Kramer, S. J. Shimer, R. F. Wilson, C. H. Dickerman, M. Lieberman, W. H. Hackenberg, ex-Congressman Bound, S. W. Murray, W. A. Shrever, D. M. Krauser, Robert Correy, Henry Harris, P. Cristie, Dr. C. H. Dougal. Dr. J. H. Miles and Dr. Sidney Davis. Eight hundred dollars have been about the forther than The dollars have been donated for their use. The physician and a layman in each to look after the proper cleansing of cellars, houses, cess-pools and stagnant places. Cadwaliader Bid-dle, of the state board of charities, visited the town last night at request of Gov. Beaver. He found the relief committee active attending to the immediate wants of the distressed. Relief to many who have had their homes wrecked will be an after consideration by ways and means yet to be determined. Mr. Biddle left for Muncy and Muncy dam in a carriage this morning. The canal boat of Jacob Leithiser, of York, Pa., lies on a farm 2 miles below Milton, midway between the canal and the river, having been carried there by the flood Supposed to be a Johnstown Victim.

VEVAY, IND., June 7 .- The body of a woman was taken from the river at Florence, 7 miles above here yesterday afternoon, supposed to be one of the Johnstown victims. There was nothing about her by which she could be iden-THE WORK OF RELIEF.

Subscriptions Pouring Into the Mayor's

A CITY IN ASHES.

The Business Part of Seattle Entirely

ONLY THE RESIDENCE PORTION OF THE PLACE SAVED-THE LOSS ESTIMATED AT FROM FIFTEEN TO PORTY MILLION OF DOLLARS-THE FLAMES

BAFFLED THE EFFORTS OF THE FIREMEN.

SEATTLE, W. T., June 7 .- What was the business part of this city is this morning nothing but smouldering ruins and debris. Fire broke out yesterd y afternoon in the basement of a two-story frame building on the southwest corner of Front and Madison streets, owned by Mrs. Margaret J. Pontius. The fire originated in some tarpentine which caught fire in some way. The first story, which was leased by the Seattle shoe company and the upper floor being occupied for offices, was soon abiaze. Although the volunteer fire department respond-ed promptly to the alarm, they could do httle or nothing to check the flames. The building, like most of the others of its kind in the business center, was not detached, but was a corner one of a row of frame buildings all joined totinder and proved

AN EASY PREY TO THE FLAMES.

Adjoining to the first building was Dietz & Myers, wholesale liquor store. The barrels of playing and laughing gaily oblivious of the liquor exploded with terrific reports as soon as group nine children of the same family were far and near. In a short time the entire square, seen, the oldest not over fifteen years. confectionery store, Gilmore & Co.'s real estate office, and several other establishments, including a number of professional offices and some lodging apartments, were soon destroyed. An effort was made to flood the Coleman building on Front street to the south, but to no avail. The flames spread across Marion street to the Palace and Opera houses at once. In less than

ANOTHER SQUARE WAS LAID IN ASHES.

This took in A. S. Smith's grocery, Morchant's wholesale confectionery, a fruit store, J. cer, plumbing and steam fitting establishment, R. J. Graham, tailor; Edgar Bryan, pawn shop; jewelry store, Houster's barber shop, Lesly's William R. Thompson, the grievance committee, Pittsburg. That city is now really the financial point as most of our supplies must necessarily be purchased there. Let all general remittances be in the form of drafts and no confusion can possibly arise."

Thom caught fire in the upper bunding, a three-story brick structure, owned by George Frye, and valued at \$120,000, was soon destroyed. With it went the Seattle pharmacy, the Golden rule bazar, Harris & Co.'s dry goods store, tour's dry goods house. Broadman's paint and fect organization which has been effected oil establishment. The Kenyon block, a little the chaos and confusion reduced to ashes. In this block was the job printing establishment of the Evening Times, Veuen & Vaugh's music store, and Baine's tailor shop. From the opera house block the fire spread and quickly swallowed up the square been forced to exercise an authority which, to the south. This square consisted of wostory frame buildings, occupied by E. Lobe's bazar, the California clothing, Goraca Bros. tailoring establishment, the Oriental bazar, and several other big concerns.

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT STRUGGLED BRAVELY to save the most valuable part of Front street, and three stories high, and where four banks had their offices: The Bank of Commerce, Merchants' National, First National, and the and Savings bank. The row consisted of a corner block, occupied by Toklas, Singerman & Co,'s wholesale dry-goods store, the Union block, the Parin building, the San Francisco clothing house, the Star block, the Arcade building and Yesler block, on Center square. In Central square all the telegraph offices were situated. The safe deposit company also had a building in this row. Explosions of giant powder were useless to prevent the awful spread of the flames and clouds of suffocating smoke.

several lines of hose only reached the second story. QUICK ASSISTANCE FROM TACOMA.

The fire department of Tacoma came over by the Paget Shore railroad, making the journey matters that we would have had at a local dis- in 62 minutes. However, the local department stay the progress of the flames, and the attempt to blow up the Union block inflicted more in-jury upon the firemen than it did damage to the building, and the block was consumed by the flames. Some of the more valuable of the contents of Union block were removed to places til the miasma becomes so strong as to defy of safety. The square to the north science, and then we may well recede. was then swept and the fire communicated to the Occidental botel, the largest in the city. In the course of the fire on Foylers avenue, Toklas, Singerman & Co., Colberg's wholesale grocery, the above-mentioned banks, Treen's shoe store. Humphrey's book store and Low-

man & Sanford's book, stationery and job printing concern were burned. The offices of the Western Union, Postal, and Puget Sound telegraph companies, on Yesler avenue were burned, together with the building occupied y are by the Daily Post, Intelligencer, the Canadian taken Pacific railway offices and a number of lawyers,

doctors and other professional men. AMONG THE OTHER LOSERS

to careless sightseers. We have no room for the Seattle Ship Building and Dry Dock company, the Ferry estate. Hillary Butler, Isaac Korn, J. S. Bailey, Captain Starr, L. S. J. Huitt, Angus Mackintosh, the Seattle Land Shore and Eastern, Gordon Hardware company, Scattle Hardware company, Moran Brothers, Sutcliff Baxter, J. F. McNaught, A. P. Hoteling, W. S. Ladd, John Collins, who owned the Occidental hotel, valued at \$400,000, with only \$65,000 insurance; John Leary, William Shoudy, Harrington & Smith, I. A. Hat-field, E. Lobe Levy & Co. The losses on everything are variously esti-

mated at from \$15,000,000 to \$40,000,000. It is estimated that the total loss to the city in buildings alone is easily \$10,000,000, and all personal losses will probably reach \$20,000,000.

WHETHER THERE IS MUCH LOSS OF LIFE cannot yet be ascertained. There is great privation felt among the poor classes, as nearly every restaurant and grocery in the city were consumed by the fire. The burned district comprises 64 acres. It presents the aspect of a huge oven of burning coals, and threatens even further distruction. The firemen, reinforced by Tacoma and Snohomich, are on the alert. The streets all through the night were crowded with people wandering about penni-less and homeless. The militia and extra police

are to be seen on every corner guarding the property against thieves and vandals. One hundred arrests have already been made. All of the daily newspapers will publish to-morrow. Words fail to describe the awful pic-ture of the fire and desolation. It is like the Chicago fire, and. like Chicago, will be rebuilt. Everybody seems in good spirits, as it is hard to realize the dreadful fullness of this sudder

calamity. When Toklas & Singerman's building fell about thirty people were near it and many of them were crushed. Similar accidents befoli most of the large buildings.

cers Elected.

RAILWAY EMPLOYES. A New Organization Formed and Offi-

CHICAGO, June 7 .- A new and important factor in railway labor circles was created last evening when nine delegates assembled in this city, finished and ratified a constitution for the future government of three of the important railway employes' associations, which are thereby federated in one body to be known as the United order of railway employes. The constitution as adopted is the work of a three days' conference, and without further ratification by the separate bodies it creates the new order. The delegates framing it represented the Brotherhood of railway brakemen, the Switchman's mutual aid association and the Brotherhood. men's mutual aid association, and the Brother-hood of locomotive firemen, which association

are fused into the new order.

The governing body will be a supreme conncil, of which the following are the officers and members: President, W. P. Sargeant, grand master of the Locomotive Brotherhood of Fire-Subscriptions Pouring Into the Mayor's Office—Gov. Beaver's Telegram.

New York, June 7.—Subscriptions still continue to pour into the office of Mayor Grant for Subscriptions of Chicago; secretary and treasurer, Ed. F. O'Shea, secretary and treasurer of Brotherinous of Railway Brakemen of Galesburg, Ill. The six other members of the council are S. E. Wilkinson, of Peoria, and W. G. Edens, of Ohio, for the brakemen; E. B. Debbs, of Indiana, and J. J. Hannahan, of Chicago, for the firemen; and G. W. Hall and W. E. Simsroll, of

firemen; and G. W. Hall and W. E. Simsroll, of Chicago, for the switchmen.

President Sargeant was asked last night:
"What is the stand of the new constitution on such labor troubles as strikes?"

"All difficulties that can possibly arise between our members and the railways are adequately provided for, but the constitution is a secret one, and I cannot say what those provisions are."

From Cleveland, Indianapolis, Altoona, Pittsburg, and, in fact, throughout all Pennsylvania and the eastern states, we have received telegrams from societies and families offering to